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In The Court of Appeals

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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY FEB 25 2016

Tanya A. Gee, Circuit Court Judge SC Court of Appeals

Case No. 2015-CP-40-3381

Terry Douglas Campbell Appellant

v.

The State of South Carolina; Director of South Carolina Department of Corrections,
Bryan Stirling; Warden Bernard McKie; Officers Lt McLaughlin and
Aubrey Pounds; Respondents

APPELLANT'S RESPONSE TO RESPONDENT'S
RETURN TO APPELLANT'S MOTION TO REINSTATE
APPEAL

On February 16, 2016, The Appellant received a return to appellant's motion to reinstate appeal from the Office of Counsel for the Respondents which states that they did receive the notice of appeal in a timely

manner, supported with a copy of the envelope which the notice of appeal was sent in which bore a postmark of January 2, 2016. The Appellant's Notice of Appeal states that he is appealing an order which he received written notice of on December 3, 2015, and further states in the Certificate of Service that the Notice of Appeal was sent to the Respondents on Dec. 31, 2015, which was 28 days later.

The Respondents do not oppose the Appellant's Motion to Reinstate on timeless grounds, however they do oppose permitting the Appellant to proceed without the payment of filing fees. The Appellant argues that he should not have to pay any filing fee due to the proven fact that he did timely file his notice of appeal and the clerk should have never filed the Order which dismissed this case for failing to timely file the notice of appeal. It is the Appellant's experience that the Courts are very prejudiced toward inmates and cause them to file all sorts of paperwork and respond to unnecessary orders and motions in an attempt to dissuade them from filing civil actions regardless of how strong a case they may have.

I hereby ask that my appeal be reinstated and if there are filing fees, charge them to the clerk who needlessly filed the order dismissing my case.

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Respectfully Submitted,

Jerry Campbell

Date Feb. 20, 2016

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